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PATENTIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
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TSANG et al.) Art Unit: 1634
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Application No. 09/857,539) Examiner: Bao-Thuy L. Nguyen
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Filing Date: June 6, 2001) Confirmation No. 6357
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For: REAGENT AND METHOD FOR)
DETECTING A CRYPTOSPORIDIUM)
PARVUM SPOROZOITE ANTIGEN)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.
Customer Number 23959

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to maintain pendency:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | One Month | \$120.00 | (\$ 60.00)* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Two Months | \$450.00 | (\$225.00)* |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Three Months | \$1,020.00 | (\$510.00)* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four Months | \$1,590.00 | (\$795.00)* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five Months | \$2,160.00 | (\$1,080.00)* |

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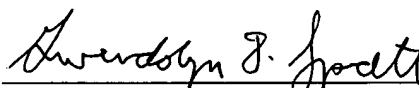
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A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment check in the amount of \$1,020.00, representing the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) is enclosed. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

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